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P&G Case 7590Q

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of :
Donald C. Roe et al. : Confirmation No. 6995
Serial No. 09/342,719 : Group Art Unit 3761
Filed June 29, 1999 : Examiner M. Kidwell

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For DISPOSABLE ARTICLE PROVIDING IMPROVED MANAGEMENT OF BODILY EXUDATES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

TECHNOLOGY CENTER

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 2, 2002, for two months, from August to October. Applicants authorize payment of the accompanying fee of \$400.00 from Deposit Account 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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